### **APPENDIX D:**

## COSTS TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR EACH ALTERNATIVE

#### INTRODUCTION

This cost analysis represents an estimate of initial costs, replacement costs, and annual costs that would be associated for each alternative. Its primary value is to illustrate the relative cost for each alternative as compared to the existing program. The cost summary for each alternative provides this comparison. These costs are identified by line item in Tables D-1 and D-2. This section is based on, and hereby incorporates by reference, Appendix F of the FEIS.

#### COSTS COMMON TO ALL ALTERNATIVES

#### **Initial Costs**

All alternatives include the costs of an additional rotary plow to assist with snow removal on the road between the North Entrance and Cooke City, to supplement spring opening and for routing snow plowing within Grand Teton and the Parkway. To improve road conditions, all alternatives include the purchase of four additional groomers. In addition, all alternatives include the purchase of search and rescue equipment and replacing substandard, non-winterized housing. Recycling centers would be built at interior developed areas and weather stations would be placed at critical, avalanche prone locations. To provide better visitor services, new warming huts would replace substandard huts at Old Faithful, Madison, and Canyon. A new warming hut also would be constructed at Norris. In GTNP, a new warming hut would be placed along the Teton Park Road to provide visitor services and interpretive opportunities that focus on nonmotorized uses. Oversnow fire engines would be purchased and placed at Madison, Canyon, Lake, Grant, East Entrance, and South Entrance. An oversnow ambulance would be placed at Lake to serve the east side of the park, and compliment the existing ambulance at Old Faithful.

All alternatives include design, contract administration, and contingency costs for the construction projects, estimated at the NPS standard of 35%.

### **Replacement Costs**

The equipment that is proposed for replacement in all alternatives is the new equipment shown as purchased under the initial costs for each alternative. The replacement schedule for equipment is the desirable interval based on past performance. Only new equipment is shown as being replaced. Costs of replacing equipment currently used in the parks' winter operations are not included here. This underestimates the true cost of replacing all park winter-related equipment on a desirable schedule.

#### **Annual Costs**

The parks' winter operations are currently funded through base funds (Operations of the National Park Service) as well as non-base money (such as construction projects) and revenue from park entrance fees. The total annual cost of winter program management, including overhead expenses such as facility maintenance, utilities, and personnel and support services, was shown in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) to be approximately \$6,480,558 for fiscal year 1998 (in YNP). Incremental cost changes relate to estimates of initial costs and direct field expenses for implementing programs, as they

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would occur in each alternative. For Grand Teton and the Parkway, the comparable winter management budget was about \$3,033,000. These are funds devoted to snowmobile use and road grooming, maintaining interior park buildings, visitor and resource protection information, planning, and equipment replacement. A portion of Grand Teton's budget was allocated for implementation of the Continental Divide Snowmobile Trail (CDST). These costs are not included in the following tables; only additional costs associated with the alternatives are included. Because these tables do not include current water-related expenditures, they underestimate the true cost of operating Yellowstone and Grand Teton during the winter season.

All alternatives seek to increase interpretive opportunities related to the unique aspects of the winter environment by providing interpretive programs and publications at destination areas and warming huts. All alternatives extend the winter use season in YNP, which would require additional road grooming for two weeks. To provide additional non-motorized opportunities for park visitors, six additional miles of ski trails would be groomed.

### **Life Cycle Costs**

A 10% surcharge was added to the annual costs for all alternatives to account for the additional supplies, administrative, and management support costs that the increased activities would require. A 25-year period was used to calculate life cycle costs for all elements.

#### COST SUMMARIES FOR EACH ALTERNATIVE

#### Alternative 1a and 1b: No Action

Alternatives 1a and 1b differ only in their timeframe for implementation, and thus their costs would be identical. Under alternative 1b, an additional year would be allowed for phasing in snowcoach-only travel.

#### **Initial Costs**

Alternatives 1a and 1b put the emphasis on access to Yellowstone via snowcoach. Thirty administrative new generation snowcoaches would be purchased and placed at various locations in the park. The administrative snowmobile fleet would be reduced from 105 to 30 best available technology machines, and they would only be used for emergency and administrative functions. An additional 14 housing units would be built for the additional ranger, maintenance, and interpretive staff, and 20 substandard housing units would be replaced. Wildlife and sound research would occur to augment existing wildlife work and to understand unwanted noise concerns.

For GTNP additional housing for winter seasonal employees would be winterized. Due to changes in grooming and plowing needs, additional road maintenance machinery would need to be acquired. Colter Bay facilities would need to be winterized and upgraded to accommodate staging needs at that location (vice Flagg Ranch).

#### **Annual Costs**

Because of this alternative's focus on adaptive management and monitoring, wildlife, water quality, soundscapes, and air quality monitoring would occur. An additional six interpretation full-time equivalents (FTE) would be used to carry out the alternative's goal of increasing interpretive

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opportunities in and outside the park. In addition, there would be two additional FTEs for law enforcement and maintenance.

For GTNP an additional two FTEs for interpretive and law enforcement rangers would be necessary for implementing increased interpretive programs, law enforcement, and providing a presence at the new warming huts. In addition, there are costs and credits associated with converting from wheeled vehicles to oversnow vehicles on the Flagg Ranch to Coulter Bay Road segment.

#### **Cost Summary**

For YNP, implementing alternative 1a or 1b would cost an estimated \$2,833,203 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management. For GTNP, implementing alternative 1a or 1b would cost an estimated \$502,493 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management.

#### Alternative 2

#### **Initial Costs**

To upgrade the NPS snowmobile fleet to BAT, alternative 2 would purchase 150 BAT snowmobiles for YNP and 8 BAT snowmobiles for Grand Teton. To provide acceptable winterized housing for park employees, twenty additional housing units would be built, and twenty substandard units would be replaced. A visitor carrying capacity study would be completed, at a cost of approximately \$2,500,000. Equipment for wildlife and soundscapes monitoring would also be purchased.

#### **Annual Costs**

Because of this alternative's focus on adaptive management, monitoring on the parks' wildlife, water quality, soundscapes, air quality, and visitor experience would occur. To enforce snowmobile emissions requirements and park rules, 19 additional seasonal law enforcement rangers would be hired for the winter season. Additional interpretive rangers would provide guided ski and snowshoe tours and other interpretive programs. In addition, increased road grooming would help keep park roads in good condition, especially on busy days when daily entry limits are approached.

For YNP, implementing alternative 2 would cost an estimated \$3,654,038 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management. For GTNP, implementing alternative 2 would cost an estimated \$1,093,413 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management.

#### Alternative 3

#### **Initial Costs**

To upgrade the NPS snowmobile fleet to BAT, alternative 3 would purchase 150 BAT snowmobiles for YNP and 8 BAT snowmobiles for Grand Teton. To provide acceptable winterized housing for park employees, twenty additional housing units would be built, and twenty substandard units would be replaced. Twenty additional new generation snowcoaches would be purchased for administrative use and located at various locations throughout YNP. A visitor carrying capacity study would be completed, at a cost of approximately \$2,500,000. Equipment for wildlife and soundscapes monitoring would also be purchased.

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#### **Annual Costs**

Because of this alternative's focus on adaptive management, monitoring on the parks' wildlife, water quality, soundscapes, air quality, and visitor experience would occur. Six additional seasonal law enforcement rangers would be hired for the winter season to enforce park rules (fewer law enforcement is needed relative to alternative 2 since BAT would be enforced through concessions contracts). Additional interpretive rangers would provide guided ski and snowshoe tours and other interpretive programs. In addition, increased road grooming would help keep park roads in good condition, especially on busy days when daily entry limits are approached. One additional FTE for business management would be hired to manage concessions contracts and the guiding program.

For YNP, implementing alternative 3 would cost an estimated \$3,451,400 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management. For GTNP, implementing alternative 3 would cost an estimated \$1,065,913 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management.

#### Alternative 4

#### **Initial Costs**

To upgrade the NPS snowmobile fleet to BAT, alternative 4 would purchase 150 BAT snowmobiles for YNP and 8 BAT snowmobiles for Grand Teton. To provide acceptable winterized housing for park employees, twenty additional housing units would be built, and twenty substandard units would be replaced. Twenty additional new generation snowcoaches would be purchased for administrative use and located at various locations throughout YNP. A visitor carrying capacity study would be completed, at a cost of approximately \$2,500,000. Equipment for wildlife and soundscapes monitoring would also be purchased.

#### **Annual Costs**

Because of this alternative's focus on adaptive management, monitoring on the parks' wildlife, water quality, soundscapes, air quality, and visitor experience would occur. Nine additional seasonal law enforcement rangers would be hired for the winter season to enforce park rules (fewer law enforcement is needed relative to alternative 2 since BAT would be enforced partly through concessions contracts). Additional interpretive rangers would provide guided ski and snowshoe tours and other interpretive programs. In addition, increased road grooming would help keep park roads in good condition, especially on busy days when daily entry limits are approached. One additional FTE for business management would be hired to manage concessions contracts and the guiding program.

For YNP, implementing alternative 4 would cost an estimated \$3,583,416 more than what is currently spent on winter use management. For GTNP, implementing alternative 4 would cost an estimated \$1,065,913 more per year than what is currently spent on winter use management.

## Table D-1. LIFE CYCLE COST ANALYSIS Presentworth Dollars

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A. Add. Warming Huts 1	sa ft	\$100	1 (Norris)	50.000	50,000	1 (Norris)	50,000	50.000	1 (Norris)	50.000	50,000	1 (Norris)	50.000	50.000	1 (Norris)	50,000	50.0
Add. Housing Unit 1	each	\$125,000	12	1,500,000	1,500,000	14	1,750,000	1,750,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,0
Purchase Rotary Plow 1	each	\$375,000	1	375,000	375,000	1	375,000	375,000	1	375,000	375,000	1	375,000	375,000	1	375,000	375,0
Purchase Groomer 1	each	\$164,000	2	328,000	328,000	2	328,000	328,000	2	328,000	328,000	2	328,000	328,000	2	328,000	328,0
. Purchase SAR Equip 1 . Purchase Fire Engine 1	each	\$19,000	1 1	19,000	19,000	1	19,000	19,000	1	19,000	19,000	1	19,000	19,000	1	19,000	19,0
	each	\$200,000	6	1,200,000	1,200,000	6	1,200,000	1,200,000	6	1,200,000	1,200,000	6	1,200,000	1,200,000	6	1,200,000	1,200,
. Purchase Ambulance 1	each	\$84,000 \$180,000	1 5	84,000 900,000	84,000 900,000	1 30	84,000 5,400,000	84,000 5,400,000	1 5	84,000 900,000	84,000 900,000	1 20	84,000 3,600,000	84,000 3,600,000	1 20	84,000 3,600,000	84, 3,600.
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C. Carrying Capacity Study 1	each	\$2.500.000	i .	00,000	00,000	-	020,000	320,000	1	2,500,000	2.500.000	1	2,500,000	2.500.000	1	2.500.000	2.500.
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. Provide Recycle Centers 1	sq ft	\$50	5	150,000	150,000	5	150,000	150,000	5	150,000	150,000	5	150,000	150,000	5	150,000	150
Replace Housing 1	each	\$125,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500,000	20	2,500,000	2,500
P. Install Weather Stations 1	each	\$15,000	2	30,000	30,000	2	30,000	30,000	2	30,000	30,000	2	30,000	30,000	2	30,000	30
Replace Warming Huts 1	sq ft	\$100	4(Can/2OF/Mad)	400,000	400,000	4 huts	400,000	400,000	4 huts	400,000	400,000	4 huts	400,000	400,000	4 huts	400,000	400
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Total Replacement/Salvage Costs					838,643			2,765,634			1,529,616			2,902,159			2,902,
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. Extend Groom Season	0.000%		I		0	184 miles-2 wk	44,940	523,712	184 miles-2 wk	44,940	523,712	184 miles-2 wk	44,940	523,712	184 miles-2 wk	44,940	523
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Soundscape Monitoring     Visitor Experience Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Add. Interp. Pubs.     Warming Hut Maintenance     Snowmobile Maintenance     Housing Maintenance     Additional Ranger Staff     Additional Interpretive Staff     Better Avalanche Control     Better Grooming	0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000%	11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832	11 8 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 5 coaches	81,500 5,000 11,341 120,000 45,000 150,000 45,000 25,000 25,000	949,767 58,268 132,163 1,398,430 524,411 1,748,037 524,411 291,339 291,339	-76 14 units 3 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr	200,000 81,500 5,000 -78,280 210,000 45,000 25,000 25,000 25,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 (912,242) 2,447,252 524,411 2,622,056 524,411 291,340 291,340	30 20 units 16 for 1/3 yr 20 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr	75,000 300,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 240,000 299,970 45,000 25,000 50,000	3,496,075 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 2,796,860 3,495,725 524,411 291,340 582,679	30 20 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 45,000 149,985 45,000 25,000 50,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 524,411 1,747,863 524,411 291,340 582,679	30 20 units 6 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 90,000 225,000 45,000 25,000 50,000	949, 58, 3,496, 1,048, 2,622, 524, 291, 582,
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Soundscape Monitoring     Visitor Experience Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Add. Interp. Pubs.     Warming Hut Maintenance     Snowmobile Maintenance     Additional Ranger Staff     Additional Ranger Staff     Additional Maintenance Staff     Better Avalanche Control     Better Foroming     Administrative Snowcoach Maint.     Additional Business Mgmt Staff     Management/Admin	0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000%	11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832	11 8 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 5 coaches	81,500 5,000 11,341 120,000 45,000 45,000 25,000 25,000 25,000	949,767 58,268 132,163 1,398,430 524,411 1,748,037 524,411 291,339 291,339 291,339	-76 14 units 3 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 30 coaches	200,000 81,500 5,000 -78,280 210,000 45,000 225,000 45,000 25,000 25,000 150,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 (912,242) 2,447,252 524,411 2,622,056 524,411 291,340 1,748,037 0 1,426,830	30 20 units 16 for 1/3 yr 20 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 5 coaches	75,000 300,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 240,000 299,970 45,000 25,000 50,000	3,496,075 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 2,796,860 3,495,725 524,411 291,340 0 2,410,683  26,517,518	30 20 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 20 coaches 1 FTE	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 45,000 149,985 45,000 25,000 50,000 100,000 45,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 524,411 1,747,863 524,411 291,340 582,679 1,165,358 524,411 1,832,683 20,159,516	30 20 units 6 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 20 coaches 1 FTE	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 90,000 225,000 45,000 50,000 100,000 45,000	949 58 3,496 1,048 2,622 524 291 582 1,165 524 1,972 21,697
Soundscape Monitoring     Visitor Experience Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Air Quality Monitoring     Monitoring     Monitoring     Warming Hut Maintenance     Snowmobile Maintenance     Additional Ranger Staff     Additional Interpretive Staff     Additional Interpretive Staff     Additional Maintenance Staff     Better Avalanche Control     Better Foroming     Addiministrative Snowcoach Maint.     Additional Business Mgmt Staff	0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000% 0.000%	11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832 11.6535832	11 8 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 5 coaches	81,500 5,000 11,341 120,000 45,000 45,000 25,000 25,000 25,000	949,767 58,268 132,163 1,398,430 524,411 1,748,037 524,411 291,339 291,339 0 929,770	-76 14 units 3 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 30 coaches	200,000 81,500 5,000 -78,280 210,000 45,000 225,000 45,000 25,000 25,000 150,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 (912,242) 2,447,252 52,441 2,622,056 524,411 291,340 1,748,037 0 1,426,830 15,695,127 33,016,961 (12,551,644)	30 20 units 16 for 1/3 yr 20 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 5 coaches	75,000 300,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 240,000 299,970 45,000 25,000 50,000	3,496,075 949,767 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 2,796,860 3,495,725 524,411 291,340 682,679 291,340 0 2,410,683  26,517,518	30 20 units 3 for 1/3 yr 10 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 20 coaches 1 FTE	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 45,000 149,985 45,000 25,000 50,000 100,000 45,000	2,330,717 949,767 58,268 0 3,496,075 524,411 1,747,863 524,411 291,340 582,679 1,165,358 524,411 1,832,683 20,159,516	30 20 units 6 for 1/3 yr 15 for 1/3 yr 3 for 1/3 yr 20 coaches 1 FTE	200,000 81,500 5,000 300,000 90,000 225,000 45,000 50,000 100,000 45,000	949, 58, 3,496, 1,048, 2,622, 524, 1,972, 1,165, 524, 1,972, 21,697, 41,759, (21,294,

## Table D-2. LIFE CYCLE COST ANALYSIS Presentworth Dollars

Project/Location: GTNP and JDRM	IP - Final Winter	Use Plan															
Subject: Functional Component			FEIS Alternative A			Alternatives 1a and 1b			Alternative 2			Alternative 3			Alternative 4		
Description:		Notes	No Action	•	Notes Snowcoach Only			Alternative 2			Alternative 3			Alternative 4			
Project Life Cycle = 25 Ye Discount Rate = 7.00%	ears																
Present Time = Jun-00																	
INITIAL COSTS Qu	uantity UM	Unit Price	Quantity	Est.	PW	Quantity	Est.	PW	Quantity	Est.	PW	Quantity	Est.	PW	Quantity	Est.	PW
Construction Costs			quantity	201.		Quantity			quantity			Quantity			Quantity		
A. Add. Warming Huts 1	sq ft	\$100			0	1	40,000	40,000	1 4	40,000	40,000	1	40,000	40,000	1	40,000	40,000
B. Winterize Housing Unit 1     C. Purchase D-7 Dozer 1	each each	\$10,000 \$400.000			0	4	40,000 400.000	40,000 400.000	1	40,000 400.000	40,000 400.000	4	40,000 400.000	40,000 400,000	4	40,000 400.000	40,000 400,000
D. Purchase Grader/Tractor 1	each	\$225,000			0	1	225,000	225,000	1	225,000	225,000	1	225,000	225,000	1	225,000	225,000
E. Purchase Groomer 1	each	\$142,000			0	2	284,000	284,000	2	284,000	284,000	2	284,000	284,000	2	284,000	284,000
F. Purchase BAT Snowmobile 1	each	\$5,700	2	11,400	11,400	4	22,800	22,800	8	45,600	45,600	8	45,600	45,600	8	45,600	45,600
G. CDST on Widened Shoulde 1	mile	\$150,000			0		0	0	8	4,870,000	4,870,000	8	4,870,000	4,870,000	8	4,870,000	4,870,000
H. Winter Imprvmnt at Colter 1	each	\$2,000,000			0		2,000,000	2,000,000									
Design/Contract/Supervisio 35	5%		35%	0	0	35%	728,000	728,000	35%	1,732,500	1,732,500	35%	1,732,500	1,732,500	35%	1,732,500	1,732,500
Total Initial Cost					11,400			3,739,800			7,637,100			7,637,100			7,637,100
Initial Cost PW Savings (Compar	ed to Alt. 1							(3,728,400)			(7,625,700)			(7,625,700)			(7,625,700)
REPLACEMENT COST/ SALVAG	E VALUE																
Description	Year	PW Factor															
A. Groomer	10	0.50834929	_		0	2	284,000	144,371	2	284,000	144,371	2	284,000	144,371	2	284,000	144,371
B. Snowmobile     C. Grader	3 20	0.81629788 0.258419	2	11,400	9,305 0	4	22,800 225.000	18,611 58,144	8	45,600 225.000	37,223 58.144	8	45,600 225.000	37,223 58,144	8 1	45,600 225.000	37,223 58,144
D. Dozer	20	0.258419			U	1	400.000	103.367	1	400.000	103.367	1	400.000	103.367	i	400.000	103.367
7.15.1	-							201.100			242.425			242.425			242.425
Total Replacement/Salvage Cost	S				9,305			324,493			343,105			343,105			343,105
ANNUAL COSTS																	
Description	Escl. %	PWA			0	40.0	404.740	4 450 000			0			0			0
Groom Snow Routes     Groom Motor Snow Trails		6 11.6535832 6 11.6535832			0	18.2 -33.9	124,740 -96,106	1,453,668 (1,119,979)			0			0			0
C. Plow Road		6 11.6535832			0	-21	-157,080	(1,830,545)			0			0			0
D. Remove Sand		6 11.6535832			Ö	No Sand Rmvl.	-1,008	(11,747)			Ö			Ö			ő
<ul><li>E. Spring Open</li></ul>	0.000%	6 11.6535832			0	21	32,592	379,814			0			0			0
F. Wildlife Monitoring		6 11.6535832					50,000	582,679		100,000	1,165,358		75,000	874,019		75,000	874,019
G. Soundscapes Monitoring		6 11.6535832					50,000	582,679		100,000	1,165,358		100,000	1,165,358		100,000	1,165,358
Air Quality Monitoring     Add. Interp. Pubs.		6 11.6535832 6 11.6535832					27,500 10,000	320,474 116,536		55,000 10,000	640,947 116,536		55,000 10,000	640,947 116,536		55,000 10,000	640,947 116,536
J. Warming Hut Maintenance		6 11.6535832			0	1	5,000	58,268	1	5,000	58,268	1	5,000	58,268	1	5,000	58,268
K. Snowmobile Maintenance		6 11.6535832	2	2,060	24,006	4	4.120	48,013	8	8,240	96,026	8	8,240	96,026	8	8.240	96.026
<ul> <li>Additional Ranger Staff</li> </ul>		6 11.6535832			0	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411
M. Additional Interpretive Staff		6 11.6535832			0	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411	3 for 1/3 yr	45,000	524,411
N. Better Grooming		6 11.6535832	00/ 1/ 1	000	0	100/	40.070		8 mi Grassy Lk	3,240		8 mi Grassy Lk	3,240		3 mi Grassy Lk	3,240	37,758
O. Management/Admin	0.000%	6 11.6535832 1	0% mgt/adm	n 206	2,400	10% mgt/admn	13,976	162,868	10% mgt/admn	37,148	432,907	10% mgt/admn	34,648	403,773	10% mgt/admn	34,648	403,773
Total Annual Costs (Present Wor	rth				26,406			1,791,550			4,761,980			4,441,507			4,441,507
Total Life Cycle Costs (Present V Life Cycle Savings (Compared to					47,111			5,855,843 (5,808,731)			12,742,185 (12,695,074)			12,421,712 (12,374,600)			12,421,712 (12,374,600)
Discounted Payback (Compared Total Life Cycle Costs (Annualize		PP Factor 0.08581052		4,043 Pe	er Year		-20.89 \ 502,493			-17.53 1,093,413	Years Per Year		-18.71 \ 1,065,913 F			-18.71 Y 1,065,913 F	